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Theatergoers' heads bobbed as CIA director Stansfield Turner and FBI director William Webster both appeared at the Washington opening of a new Canadian musical, "Billy Bishop Goes To War." "It's an undercover operation," Mrs. Bill Webster said with a wink. Actually, Webster, Turner and Canadian ambassador Peter Towe, host of the event, are old diplomatic pals. "They go to football games and Italloween parties together." one guest explained.

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"We didn't attract spies, we attracted friends," Carol Towe, wife of the ambassador, chided. Included was director Mike Nichols, who has an eye on the Broadway-bound play. Puffing a thin cigar and sipping champagne, Nichols signaled laryngitis when reporters approached him. It was actually Nichols who discovered "Billy Bishop" last year in a Legion hall in Listowel, Ontario.